

## State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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Rohan McGowan-Jackson Kennecott Utah Copper Corporation P.O. Box 6001 Magna, Utah 84044-6001

Subject: Acceptance of Completed Waste Rock Stability Report & Hydrologic Assessment,

Kennecott Utah Copper Corporation (KUC), Bingham Canyon Mine, M/035/0002, Salt

Lake County, Utah

Dear Mr. McGowan-Jackson:

On March 10, 2010, the Division received your final clean copy of the waste rock study for the Bingham Canyon Mine. On February 24, 2010 the Division received your final clean copy of the hydrologic assessment of the south end drainages for the Bingham Canyon Mine. The Division now considers the response associated with the vacation of the notice of violation to be complete.

Enclosed with this letter is a copy of the reports stamped approved for your records as listed above. Thank you for your cooperation. Should you have questions, please don't hesitate to call me at (801) 538-5261 or Leslie Heppler at (801) 538-5257. In reply, please refer to file number M/035/0002.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker

Minerals Program Manager

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